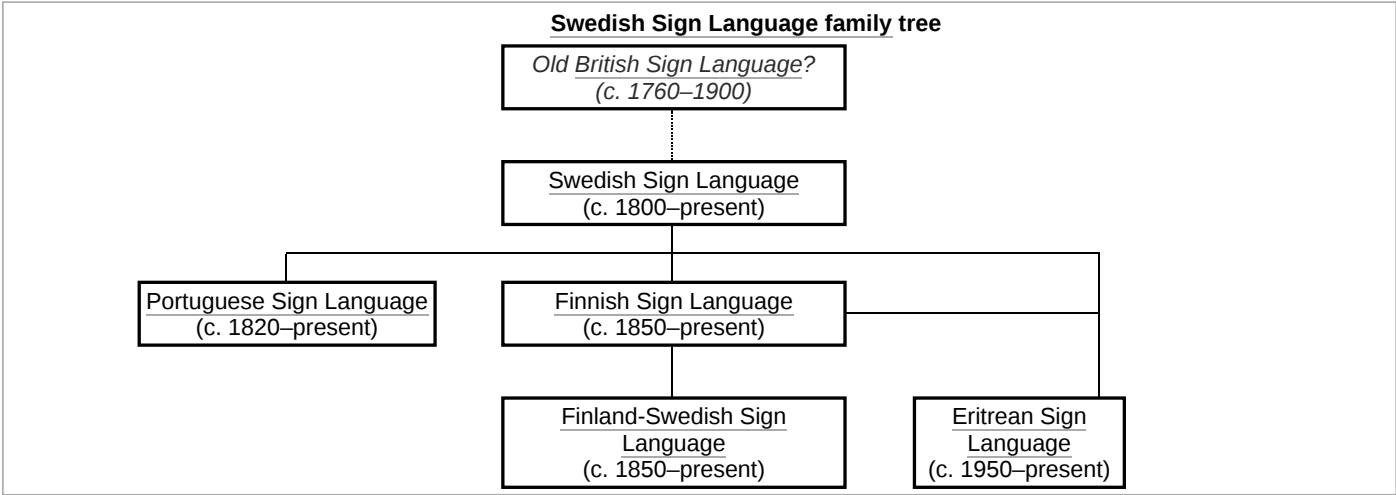


Portuguese Sign Language

Portuguese Sign language (Portuguese: *Língua gestual portuguesa*) is a sign language used mainly by deaf people in Portugal.

It is recognized in the present Constitution of Portugal.^[3] It was significantly influenced by Swedish Sign Language, through a Swedish school for the Deaf that was established in Lisbon.^[4]

Portuguese Sign Language	
LGP, <i>Língua gestual portuguesa</i>	
Native to	Portugal
Native speakers	60,000 (2014) ^[1]
Language family	<div>Swedish Sign <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Portuguese Sign Language</div>
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	psr
Glottolog	port1277 (http://glottolog.org/resource/language/id/port1277) ^[2]



See also

- Portuguese manual alphabet

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